OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

Statement of wholesale and retail prices in Bangalore City for week ending Saturday the 19th July 1924.

Food articles	Quality	Seers, lbs. per bag		Rate	Market report	Retail prices
Food grains and Pulses—				Rs. a. p. Rs. a. p.		
Rice ..	Guntoor per palla ..	100	246	22 0 0 to 25 0 0	..	3¾ to 4½ seers per rupee
	Pattasamanahalli Sanna per palla.	,,	,,	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	..	3¾ to 4 ,,
	Dharapur ..	,,	,,	25 0 0 to 26 0 0	..	3⅜ to 3¾ ,,
	Mysore Kaddi ..	,,	,,	24 0 0 to 25 0 0	..	3¾ to 4 ,,
	Alubbalu ..	,,	,,	22 0 0	..	4¼ ,,
Ragi ..	Duyam (black) per cart load.	640	..	80 0 0 to 84 0 0	..	7⅛ to 7¾ ,,
	Superior (red) ..	,,	..	83 0 0 to 84 0 0	..	7½ ,,
Tur ..	Gulberga	..	..		..	6 to 7 ,,
Tur (Dal) ..	....	..	..		..	4½ ,,
Avare ..	....	..	..		..	4 to 5 ,,
Avare (Dal) ..	....	..	..		..	4 to 4½ ,,
Oils and oil-seeds—						
Oils ..	Sweet oil	..	26½	11 8 0	..	0 4 9 per seer
	Castor oil	..	28	10 11 0	..	0 4 6 ,,
Oil-seeds	Gingelly or til seed per candy	255	..	70 0 0 to 75 0 0	..	
	Castor seed ..	,,	..	50 0 0 to 55 0 0	..	
Other food articles—						
Sugar ..	White Bura	..	25	6 2 0	..	0 12 3 per viss
	Kolar Bura	..	25	6 2 0	..	0 12 3 ,,
Jaggery ..	Achu	..	28	3 12 0 to 4 0 0	..	0 7 6 to 0 8 0
	Oonde	..	..	3 8 0 to 4 0 0	..	0 7 0 to 0 8 0
Ghee ..	Superior (Mandya) ..	..	26½	27 0 0 to 29 0 0	..	3 6 0 to 3 10 0
Salt ..	Bombay salt (black) ..	100	..	7 0 0 to 8 0 0	..	12½ to 14 seers per rupee

BANGALORE,
Dated 22nd July 1924.

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For *Director*.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 19TH JULY 1924.

A total of 41 attacks with 23 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 22 attacks and 18 deaths in the previous week, the Districts of Kolar, Mysore and Hassan being affected. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore and the Kolar Gold Fields area continued to be free from the disease.

2. Cholera accounted for 218 attacks and 105 deaths. The affected places numbered 5 in Shikarpur taluk, 4 in Honnali taluk, 3 in each of the Chikmagalur and Channagiri taluks, 2 in each of the Kankanhalli, Mysore and Kolar taluks, and one in each of the Shimoga, Tarikere, Narasimharajapura. Malvalli, Krishnarajpet, and Gundlupet taluks and the towns of Kolar, Chikmagalur, Hassan and Chamarajnagar. The Cities of Bangalore and Mysore returned 2 attacks with no deaths with one attack with one death respectively.

3. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 76, representing a calculated annual ratio of 33·33 per mille of population, against the average ratio of 30·70 for 1922. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 3 under malaria, 6 under pneumonia, 4 under other fevers, 5 under phthisis, 7 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 51 under all other causes.

4. The total mortality for the Mysore City aggregated to 48, representing a calculated annual ratio of 29·73 per mille of population against the average ratio of 21·29 for 1922. The causes of deaths were, cholera 1, small-pox 1, malaria 2, pneumonia 3, other fevers 1, phthisis 2, dysentery and diarrhœa 2 and all other causes 36.

5. There were 56 casualities on the Kolar Gold Fields equivalent to a ratio of 33·21 per 1000 of population against the average ratio of 25·98 for 1922. The causes of deaths were pneumonia 1, other fevers 5, phthisis 2, dysentery and diarrhœa 12 and all other causes 36.

6. No cases of influenza were reported during the week.

7. A total of 13 attacks with no deaths from relapsing fever was returned for one village in the Channagiri Taluk.

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